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OBJECT:PARADISE PRESENTS A MOCKUMENTARY
OF THE PUBLIC POETRY READING IN...

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EUROPEAN PREMIERE EVENTS

PRAGUE (CZ): KAMPUS HYBERNSKA 22.10.23

BERLIN (DE): HOPSCOTCH READING ROOM 17.11.23

BEJA (PT): DIVO INSTITUTE 17.11.23

BUDAPEST (HU): ART QUARTER 02.12.23

KOSICE (SK): TABAČKA 13.01.24

KRAKOW (PL) : TBA

PARIS (FR) : TBA

What can a poetry reading be?



STOP
MASTURBATION

OVER
GINSBERG

INFORMATION ON WHAT IS COMING NEXT.

UPCOMING DAYS:

MONDAY
TUESDAY
WEDNESDAY
THURSDAY
FRIDAY
SATURDAY
SUNDAY

UPCOMING MONTHS:

DECEMBER
JANUARY
FEBRUARY
MARCH
APRIL
MAY
JUNE
JULY
AUGUST
SEPTEMBER
OCTOBER

UPCOMING SEASONS:

WINTER
SPRING
SUMMER
AUTUMN

NUMBERS FROM ZERO (0):

0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9
10 (REPEAT FROM HERE)

PRIMARY COLORS:

RED
YELLOW
GREEN

HUMAN SENSES:

TOUCH, SMELL, TASTE,
SIGHT, SOUND

HUMAN EXPERIENCES:

LOVE, DEATH, LIFE, HATE,
SEX

TIPS:

-Practice recognizing
how these variables are
appropriated.

-Some variables may be
closer than they appear

-You will not be finished
until a combination of all
the variables above have been
experienced.



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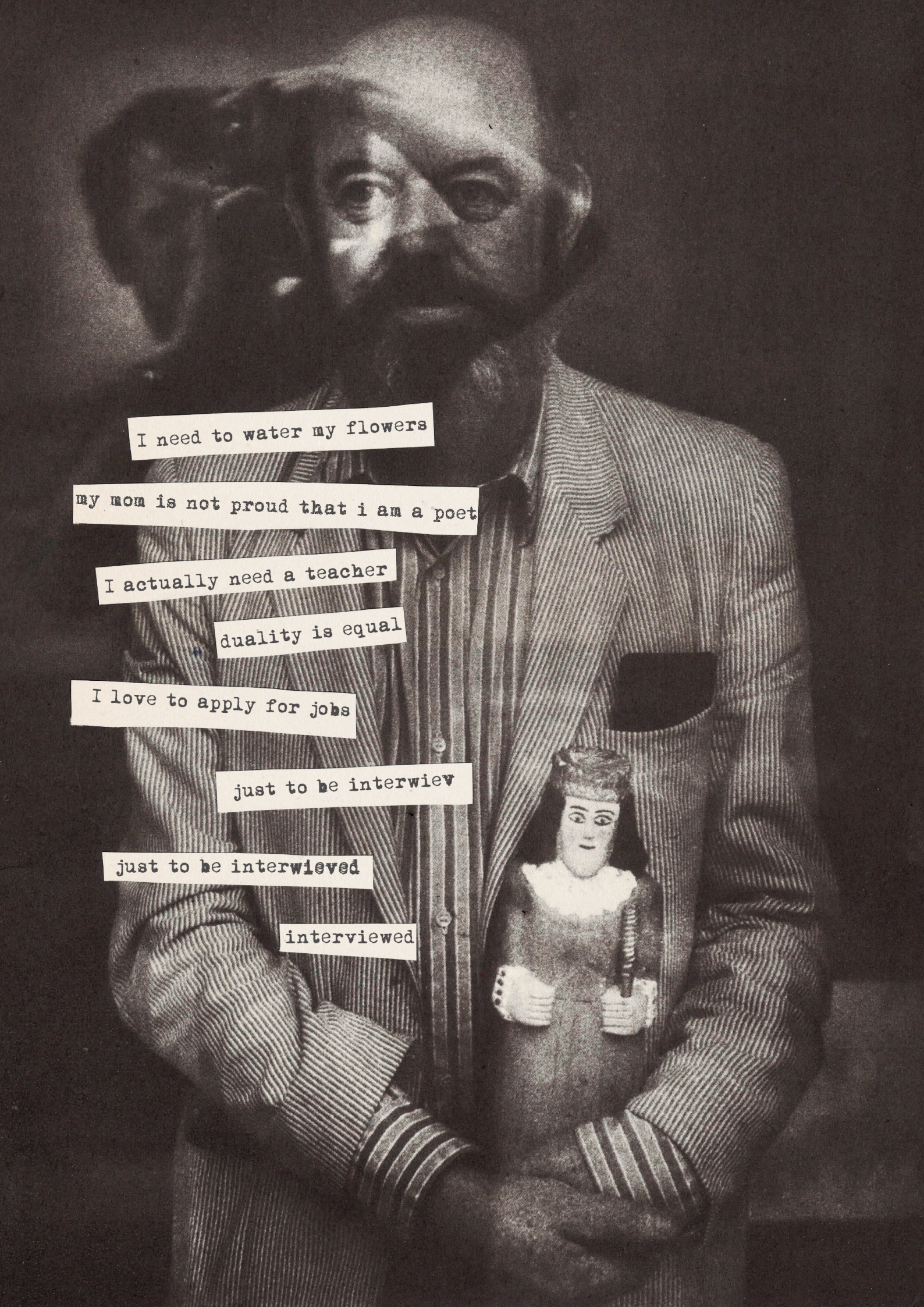
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I need to water my flowers

my mom is not proud that i am a poet

I actually need a teacher

duality is equal

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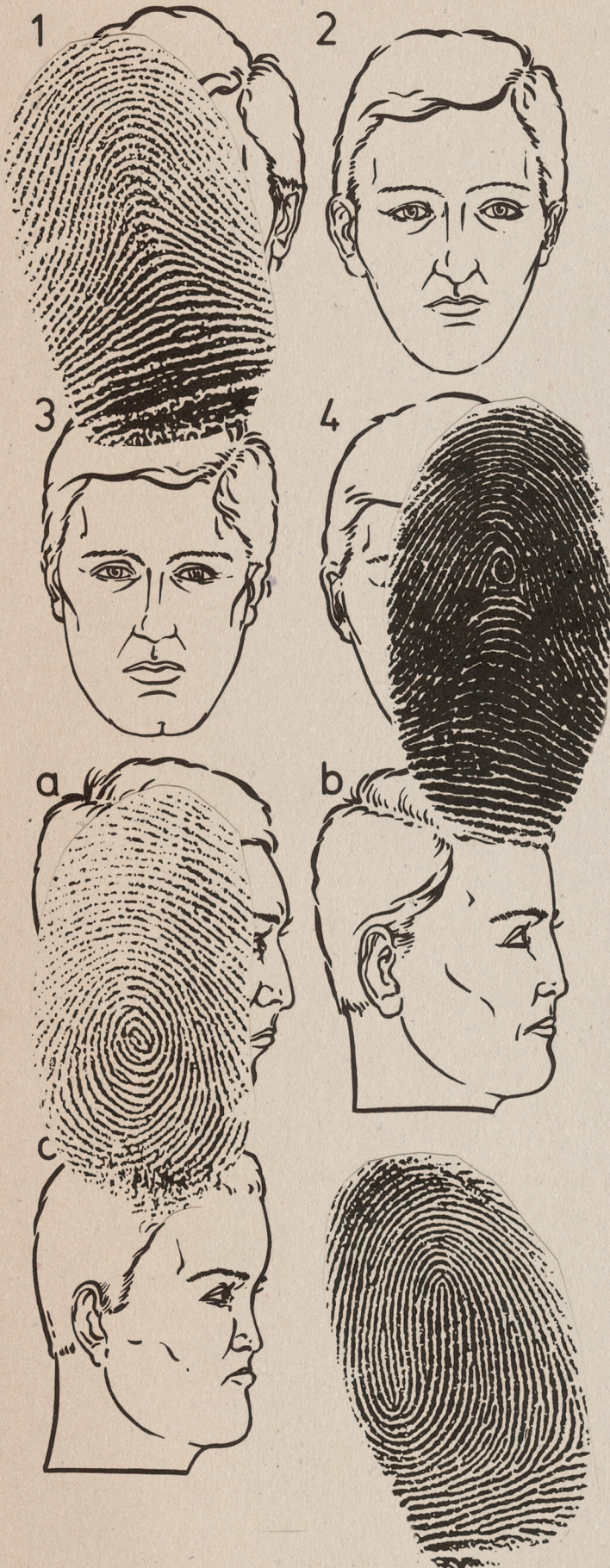
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ART SCHOOL

IS A CAPITALIST PLOY TO RESTRICT
CREATIVITY.



Because what is the purpose of art school?

Is it to empower the artist? What kind of empowerment?

Qualified by what metric outside the peripheral?

Is it to provide the artist with resources and facilities? At what price? Time? And whose time spent not creating but learning how not to create?

Can I learn about art outside of art school--say at the pub?

Is it to establish connections and interpersonal relations so that the artist can find a market for their works outside of school? Please.

Or is it being at the right time at the right place with the right piece?

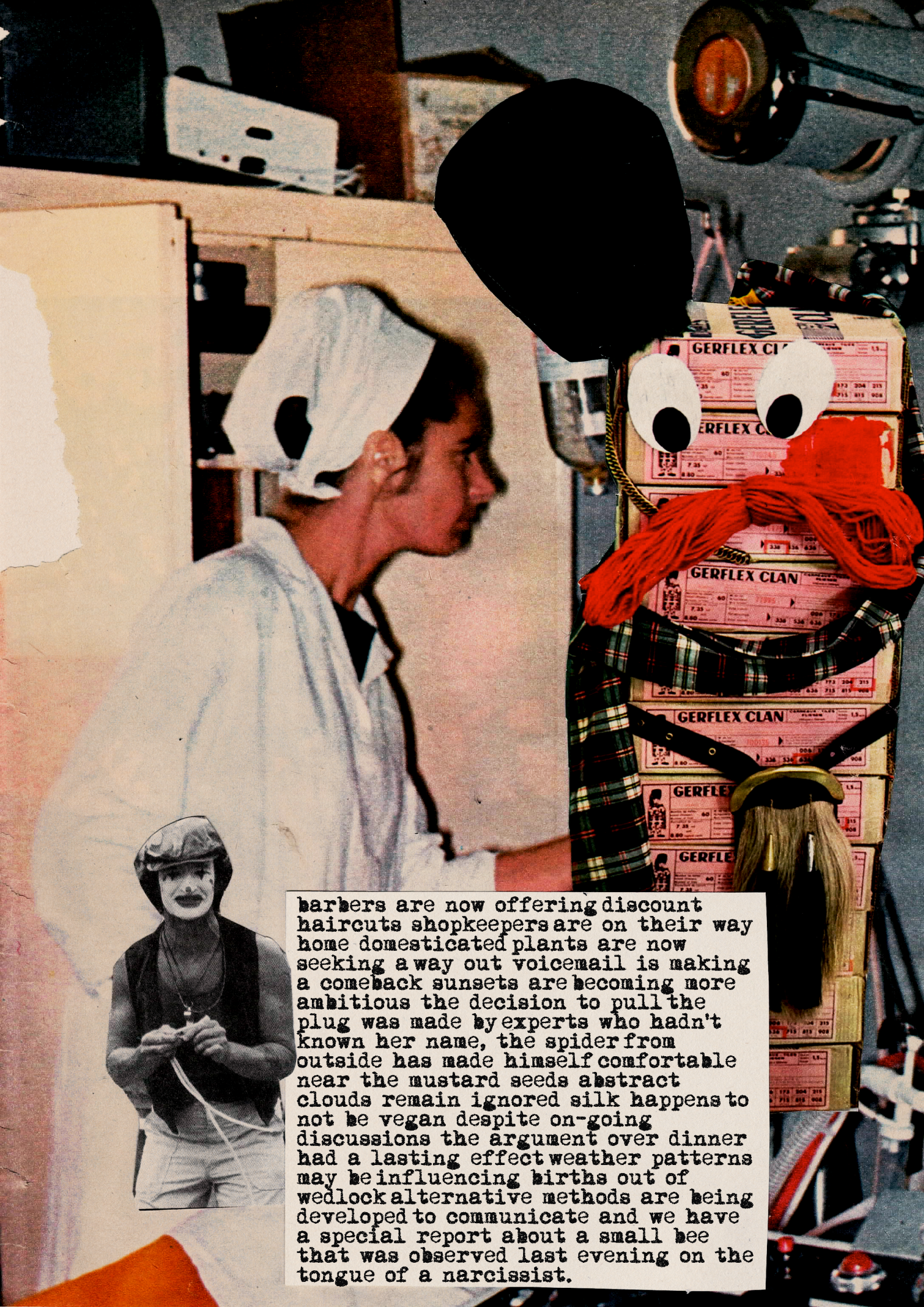
And whose piece is it if it has to pass thru the proxy that art school is?

Is this art? Passing the proxy? The test? Graduating with approved methods of creativity?

Or is it a capitalist pay-to-play pyramid scheme that teaches our young people to create works in an echochamber so they can buy what they've been sold?

Is this art? Manipulation? Perhaps.

SAY NO! TO ART!



barbers are now offering discount
haircuts shopkeepers are on their way
home domesticated plants are now
seeking a way out voicemail is making
a comeback sunsets are becoming more
ambitious the decision to pull the
plug was made by experts who hadn't
known her name, the spider from
outside has made himself comfortable
near the mustard seeds abstract
clouds remain ignored silk happens to
not be vegan despite on-going
discussions the argument over dinner
had a lasting effect weather patterns
may be influencing births out of
wedlock alternative methods are being
developed to communicate and we have
a special report about a small bee
that was observed last evening on the
tongue of a narcissist.



WHY NOT CREATE
WITHOUT A NEW FACE

Hidden H&M store in Berghain Exposed

(BERLIN) In a groundbreaking finding, KROTCH reporters have exposed a branch of the fast fashion outlet H&M hidden on the fourth floor of the Berlin nightclub Berghain.

Rumors of the fashion outlet have been circling Berlin communities for the last months, however, due to the club's strict "no pictures or videos" policy, evidence of the operation had been difficult to obtain.

That is until KROTCH reporters manufactured a surveillance device that can be easily wedged in the anal cavity.

Clubgoer Hans Klein was shocked at the news, "H&M is the number one thing we wanted to keep out of here--it's like a virus!"

The outlet Manager responded to the criticism with, "Where there's a demand, there will always be a supply."



Czechia to Subsidize Kurt Kobain Face Tattoos

(NOVE MESTO) In an effort to celebrate Prague's "Rock and Roll Guitar Music Culture", city officials of Prague-I are funding a campaign for its residents to get the face of Kurt Kobain of the popular grunge band Nirvana tattooed on their face.

"We want to show the West that Prague is a city of music and culture," said spokeswoman Jana Praguejednova.

When prompted by KROTCH reporters why to not subsidize tattoos of a Czech musician like Karel Kry, Praguejednova responded, "Because Americans don't know him!"

Annual Nudist Uptick due to Sauna Shortage

(BILA LABUT) With the winter season fast approaching, Prague residents are expected to see an uptick of nude pedestrians frantically seeking a sauna.

Already this year, sightings of naked saunaless residents are on the rise by 27% compared to last year.

"Accessibility to saunas is a top priority," stated Bohuslav Svoboda, mayor of Prague, when prompted by media on the annual hurdle.

The mayor declined to comment when asked, "How would you feel--naked and afraid?"

Bad Comedian Mistaken as Poet

(MALA STRANA) Last Friday at a weekly stand-up comedy show, Zizkov visitors accidentally mistaken the event as a poetry reading.

KROTCH reporters investigated the event and found similarities between the intended comedy performance and the effects that conventional poetry readings usually have.

Most notably, both public performances rely on the audience's passivity for the perceived efficiency of the event.

Although, subtle differences were found: audience members at the comedy show were encouraged to say "haha" in contrast to poetry's "mmm..."

New Rehersal Space Open to Bands in Prague



(LETNA) Due to rehearsal room shortages for Prague-based bands, the Ministry of Culture is encouraging residents to take advantage of one of Prague's most notorious monuments: The Prague Metronome.

Bands have since begun gathering in Letna Park to rehearse.

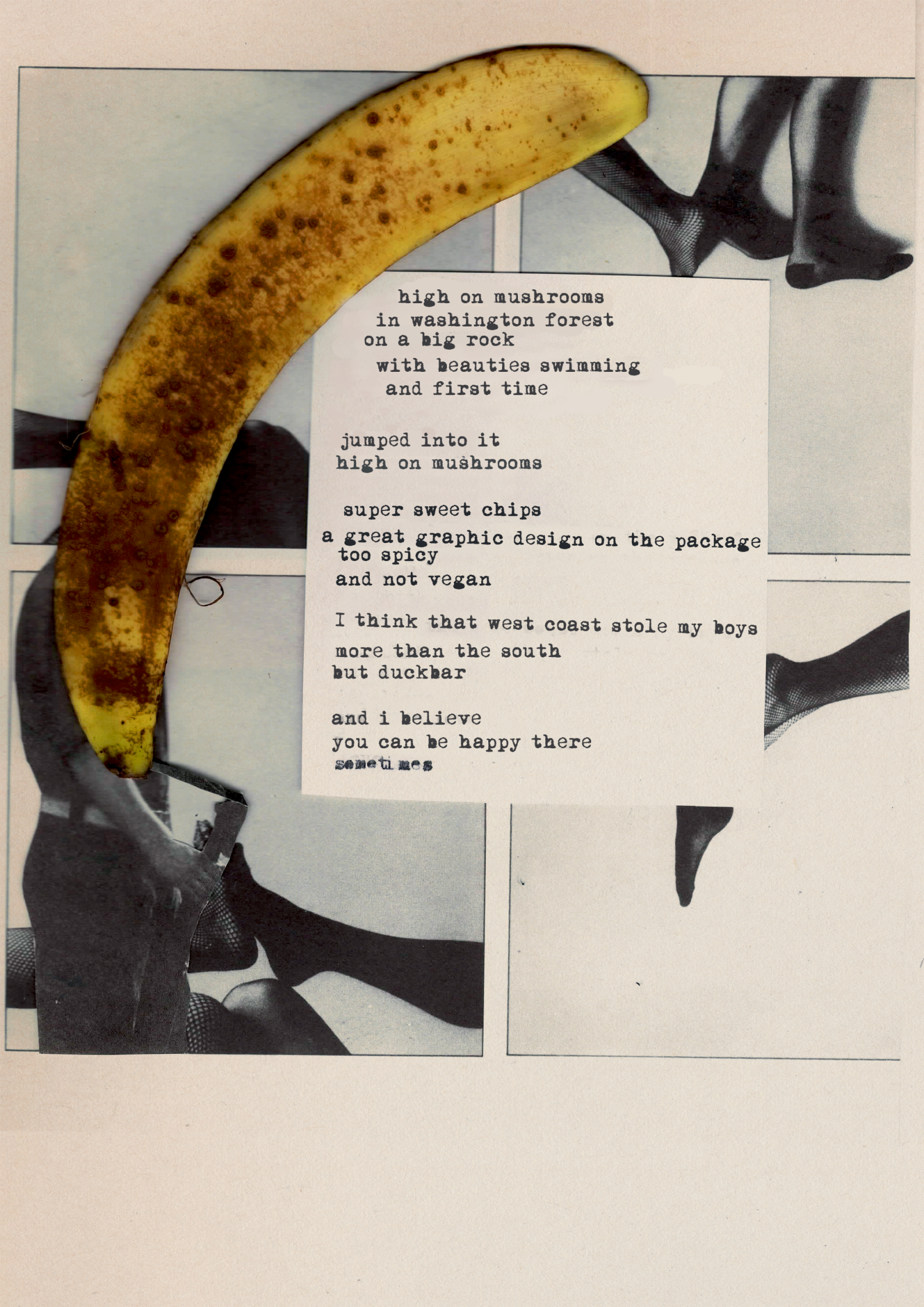
Not everyone is happy, however. Neighbors of the park complain that the uniform time signature is encouraging music that puts them to sleep.

Additional metronomes are planned to be built in 2024 to combat the problem.



I WOULD LIKE TO GROW A MUSTACHE
 A VERY LONG ONE THAT COLLECTS
 DUST AND ATTRACTS MEN

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high on mushrooms
in washington forest
on a big rock
with beauties swimming
and first time

jumped into it
high on mushrooms

super sweet chips
a great graphic design on the package
too spicy
and not vegan

I think that west coast stole my boys
more than the south
but duckbar

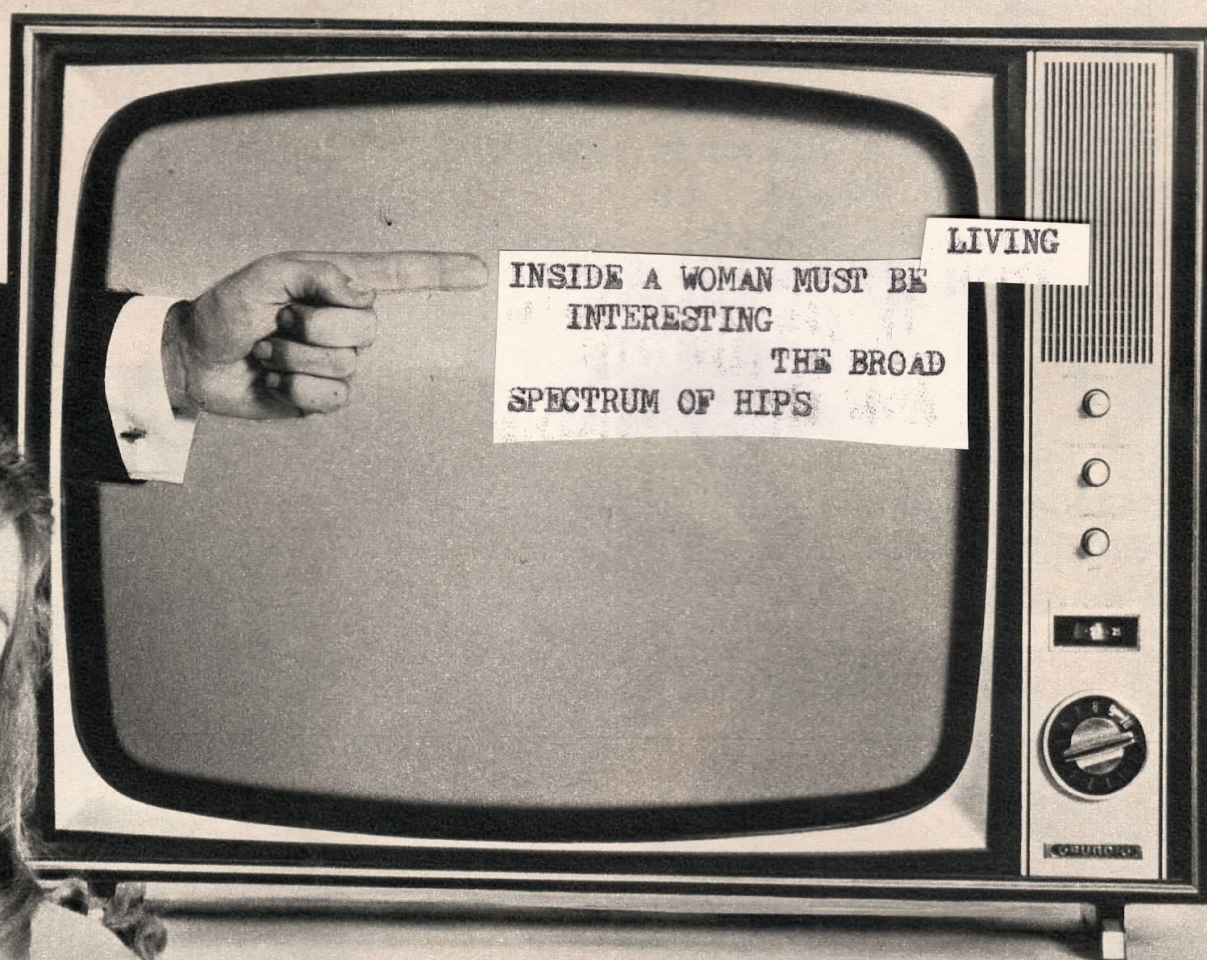
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THE ART OF RETURN



LIVING

INSIDE A WOMAN MUST BE
INTERESTING
THE BROAD
SPECTRUM OF HIPS

HOW TO LOCK YOUR KEYS IN YOUR HOUSE
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Decide to go on a morning run to impress your girlfriend of whom you've lived with only for three months. While the back sweat drips down your ass crack, wonder how long you'll continue this routine—if it's the new year or if she will come to terms with your inability to pronounce quinoa.

Put both the apartment key and building key in the zipper pocket of the swim trunks you bought in Italy. Now run around the park like an idiot in them. Sweat relentlessly but smile, "This is great— isn't it?" Feel proud of yourself. Smoke 3 cigarettes over one espresso in your red swim trunks at the cafe for dogs.

Run home because you shit your pants, "I think I want to do another lap before we go home". Sweat relentlessly. Throw the Italian shorts in the trash and with it the apartment and building key. Meet your friend with curly hair and tell her she reminds you of a cartoon character. Make plans for the evening regarding your poetry collective to introduce spreadsheets. Consider going vegan. Smoke another one and listen to your curly hair friend talk about meat balls.

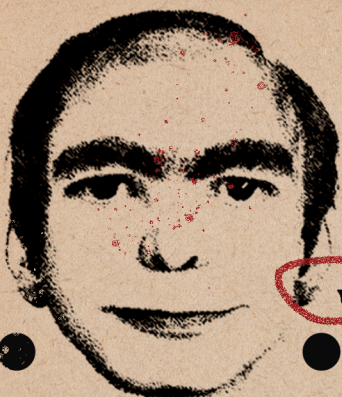
Stand in front of your building and say, "I knew this would happen". Say it two more times. Think about the spreadsheets, your landlord, your friend from Tennessee who used to live here. Smoke another one in the shadow of the mailbox. Go to the toy store and ask in Polish, Czech, and then English if they have a bendy pool toy, but like, one that is skinny and can fit through a mail slot to open up a door. They won't speak English. Tell your girlfriend you love her after you tell her it's all her fault. Devise a plan with the hardware-store guy who looks like an American football coach from your hometown. You never played football but your friend's dad was a baseball coach when you were 12.

Buy a wire rod, an L-shaped toilet tube, and duct tape, and tell him, in Czech, "thank you". Buy beer at the cornerstone and consider doing your groceries there because the Vietnamese man was wearing a green shirt and smiled when you walked in. Tell him you're a plumber and your plumber girlfriend is waiting outside. Stand in front of your building with your supplies, waiting for the neighbor to let you into the building. Don't yet drink beer—even if it's 81 degrees celsius out.

Speak politely to the next-door neighbor who eventually comes. Say something like "My house key is in my house", but he won't speak English so make clicking sounds with your tongue and a twisting gesture with your wrist like an idiot. Tell your girlfriend the wire trick will only take 10 minutes. Sweat relentlessly. Consider the politics of breaking into your own home. Drink beer.

Consider the fire escape, the roof, the neighbor's balcony and its distance to your balcony. Knock on her door and ask if you can jump from her balcony to yours. Don't. Drink beer. It's been 30 minutes. Your other neighbor will come who's a professor at the university. He will tell you, in perfect English, how much of a bitch your landlord is. Feel good. Give up. Push the metal wire directly through the mail slot of your door and hear it clang on the linoleum.

Call your landlord and tell her you need the spare key. She will say she's in Italy for a week. Go roll around in the park you went to this morning, hold your girlfriend's hand, and be thankful you changed your shorts.



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M4W (PMF : GIRL WITH BLONDE TEETH) - I saw you at Prague Microfestival looking at Rowland's works up so close I thought you were smelling them. We had a brief moment alone in the hallway. I thought about what they smelt like on the 96 the whole way home.

W4W (Chi Xiao Mian, JZP) - We both frequent the new chinese noodle restaunt at jirac. You go there on Tuesdays, I go on Tuesdays & Saturdays. I wonder if you'd like to join me next Saturday? If you notice me say hi--i'll share my cucumber lemonade with you.

W4M (ALBERT - OLDER MAN WITH AGING MOTHER) - You were helping your mom shop for groceries at Karlovo Namesti and we smiled at each other and said hi.....Then you turned around and smiled at me. If you see this....I am interested.

M4W (JULIA OH JULIA) - You left your little socks under my bed and i've just now found them after all these months. I know they're yours because of your initials stiched in them. You deserve so much better.

M4M (PINOKIO AT STARBUCKS, NARODNI TRIDA) - You told the barista your name is Pinokio but I havent been able to find your profile online--just animations? You ordered a Matcha Latte and stired it with your nose. I thought that was so cool.

M4W (CAFE RYBKA : Svarak) - looking like ya needed a freind bright eyes and a welcoming smile we briefly talked and I wish we would have exchanged numbers anyways just a shot in The Darkness.

W4W (SEEKING YOGA PARTNER, POSSIBLY MORE, PRAHA-4) - I'm looking for a female to get stretchy with. I have an itch I need to scratch and it's been too long. Vegans only.

W4W (WHAT THE FUCK, JAN?) - SERIOUSLY. Who do you think you are using our tesco shopping card with her? She will never give you what you need. I could have given you so much more if you had let me. Don't come crawling back this time!!

M4W (POET IN PLAID AT OPEN-MIC) - You read a poem about juggling mustard seeds and never planting them and made it into an analogy of the contemporary poetry scene. WOW THAT WAS HOT!

M4MM (I'M READING FOR ANYTHING) - Available on weekdays between 16:30 - 17:00. I can host.



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